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Sir:

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1. Declaration for Patent Application executed by inventors, George A. Durden, John R. Stefanik and Scott R. Swix;
2. Power of Attorney and Certificate under 37 CFR 3.73(b) executed on behalf of BellSouth Intellectual Property Corporation;
3. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted; and

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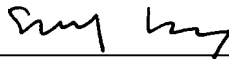
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3. Check in the amount of \$1020 (\$130 for declaration surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) and \$890 for three month extension of time).

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants herewith petition that the period for response in connection with the above-identified application be extended for three months, to and including July 14, 2001. A fee of **\$890.00** for this extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.17 accompanies this petition.

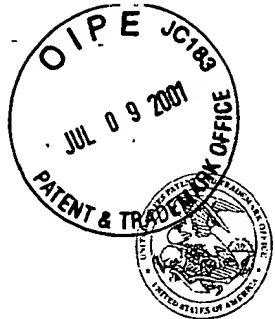
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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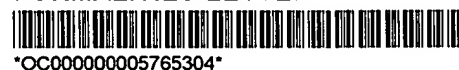
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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